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- 1 2008-2009 MontCAS Testing Windows
- 1 Thanks to presenters, participants, and sponsors of the 2008 OPI Assessment Conference
- 1 Save the date for the 2009 conference
- 2 CRT and CRT-Alternate Test Development Panels
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- 1 Statewide Assessment Conference registration
- 1 Keynote speakers each morning
- 1 Variety of sessions being offered
- 2 Focus groups will discuss future directions for Montana statewide assessment
- 2 Conference Details
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- 1 Reminders
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- 1 New This Year 4, 8, and 10 grades will take the Science CRT and CRT-Alt
- 2 Who Administers the CRT and CRT Alternate
- 2 Former LEP Student
- 2 Upgraded Students
- 3 Students Enrolled for Less than 180 Hours
- 3 Home Schooled Students
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| 1 | Test Administrator Training Conference February 4-5, 2008 |
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| 2 | CRT and CRT-Alternate Training Materials are Online |
| 3 | CRT and CRT-Alternate Checklist for Materials |
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